

The Intelligencer.

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The man who writes for the Cleveland Trade in regard to the progress and prospects of the Tuganaw Valley road...

Is speaking about crops on the other side of the river a correspondent of the Independent writes as follows:

Believe it or not, the country is good. I allow me to say that nowhere are the crops better than on Caplin, and nowhere will the crop of "hard times" and the demand for "soft money" meet with less opposition than among the hard working farmers of this region.

We notice that the First National Bank at Cambridge, Ohio, is taxed on \$100,000 the Quaker City National on \$80,000. The Cambridge Trust calls attention to the fact that it was not for this bank property it would be necessary to largely increase the valuation on the other property of the county.

Brooke County Finances. From the last County Court proceedings of Brooke, as recorded in the News, we make the following extract:

The Court, by authority of an act passed by the Legislature, on March 7, 1879, authorized Brooke county to find and borrow debt, ordered that 218 bonds in number, each in the sum of \$500, aggregating \$109,000, be issued, payable to bearer at the First National Bank, New York City, twenty years from date, with interest at the rate of six per cent.

We had an interesting conversation yesterday with Mr. Bolling, one of the assistant engineers of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad. He was present with the Committee on Streets and Alleys of the City Council on their visit yesterday to the scene of the war between the road and the P. & W. & Ky. Company.

Mr. Bolling contends that the Hempfield extension is the key to the coke position, and for that matter, the only key that can open the door to the maximum of benefits to the iron interests of the city, and therefore the one that ought to be regarded with special favor in this contest by the people of Wheeling.

Mr. Bolling intimates that the B. & O. Company have in contemplation the building of an extension from Chicago Junction to Pittsburgh—147 miles—a very feasible route, having an average grade of only twenty-five feet, and one that would give them an outlet from the Connellsville coke region to the West, and also furnish them with a desirable local business. He did not say how seriously this project had

DOMESTIC NEWS.

No Change in the Yellow Fever Situation at Memphis.

Appeals for Aid Coming Up Out of the Plague Stricken City.

Meeting of the Bar Association at Saratoga Yesterday.

An Earthquake Shakes Up Canada Towns.

Sam Cary's Fizzle at Steubenville Last Evening.

Highway Robbery at St. Clairsville, Ohio.

NATIONAL NON-SENSE.

Gen. Sam Cary's Momentous Debut at Steubenville, Last Evening.

STEUBENVILLE, O., August 21. Special to the Intelligencer.

Gen. Samuel Cary spoke here to-night, in reply to Secretary Sherman's speech of last night, to an audience of about one hundred small boys and a few men and women.

Three years ago this region of country was importing wheat and flour from the West. The Pacific Mills of this city, owned by Messrs. M. & J. Pollock, bought a large amount of wheat in Kentucky and other sections of the country, but to-day the same parties are not only fully supplied from the surrounding country, but are constantly shipping a surplus to the Eastern markets.

The excess of grain in the Ohio river counties, on both sides of the river, and in Washington county, Pa., is now very large—quite sufficient indeed to be worthy of the attention of the railroad carriers.

To some slight extent grain raising has been substituted for wool growing, on account of the relative change in the price of wool and wheat. We do not mean that grain raising—especially of wheat—has been found more profitable than wool growing by our farmers, but still there have been cases where farmers that have been in sheep pasture for many years, and that have been brought up to high productive condition thereby, have been turned over to grain raising under the stimulus of high prices for wheat.

How long this change will continue is one of the problems of the future. There was a time, years ago, when this region was a great grain growing section, and when immense quantities of flour were shipped from points in the interior and along the shore to New Orleans. But when wool growing was fairly introduced a generation ago our farmers found in it a much needed recuperative agency for their exhausted lands, especially their washed and wasted hill-side lands, and as its profits were more certain than grain raising the latter industry was gradually superseded. The whirligig of time, however, by virtue of the mutations that are constantly going on in the industries of the country, has brought round another period of surplus grain raising in this region. It may probably last as long as the price of wheat keeps up to a paying point, but it is hardly to be supposed that in these days of cheap transportation the high priced lands of this region can compete very strongly for a great length of time with the richer and cheaper grain lands of the West. In old times the lands nearest to the sea board markets enjoyed a protective tariff through the high rates of transportation, but all that is changed in these days, when wheat is carried from Chicago to New York as low as six cents per bushel.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Committee of Safety, this afternoon, Rev. Dr. Boggs, John Johnson, Gen. W. J. Smith, D. P. Godey and W. W. Thatcher were appointed a committee to estimate the expenses necessary for the maintenance of the people now in camp until it is safe for them to return to the city. The expenses of the Safety Committee to date are \$1645. All monies deposited with the National Park Bank of New York for the benefit of the First National Bank of Memphis will be paid in Memphis free of charge.

The Odd Fellows have appeared to absent members of their order. This is done to avoid the necessity of the Grand Master calling for aid from the order at large.

The Shoulder to Shoulder Club of the St. Andrews Society of Memphis call for their dues for the year.

All communications to be addressed to R. W. Lamb, Secretary. Thermometer ranged from 67° to 91°.

At a meeting of the Howard Association, held this evening, it was determined to withhold one year's dues from the charity of the nation till every dollar of the money in the Treasury has been expended. All the prominent sick are progressing favorably, except Gen. G. S. Skiffington, whose condition is considered critical.

R. T. Doherty, a signal service officer was taken ill to-night. It is thought with fever.

The Food Supply. WASHINGTON, August 21.—The National Board of Health has decided not to furnish rations to those who remain in Memphis or other infected places, and to furnish rations to persons in camps under supervision only for a limited time, and under exceptional circumstances.

A False Report. NASHVILLE, August 21.—The report got up that we had quarantined against Memphis, is false.

On Account of a Glass of Whisky. MISSISSIPPI CITY, August 21.—R. B. Pearson, Superintendent of Public Education of Harrison, killed John D. Conkerton, of New Orleans, this afternoon. They quarreled about a drink. Conkerton claimed that Pearson had not paid for the drink. Pearson invited anyone that wanted to fight to come out of the bar room. Conkerton advanced on Pearson, and the latter drew a pistol and fired, and Conkerton started to run, when Pearson fired again. One shot passed through Conkerton's arm and flattened against his skull, above the eye, and the other entered the left side and lodged on the right side.

Condemnation of Lands for Railroad Purposes. CHICAGO, August 21.—The Chicago and State Line Railroad instituted proceedings in court this morning for the condemnation of certain lands in Southern Cook county, looking to an entrance to this city. It is said that this case is in behalf of the Grand Trunk Railroad. The case will come up in the October term.

Dixon's Murderer Released on Bail. YAZOO CITY, Miss., August 21.—J. A. Barksdale, who shot Dixon, has been released on fifteen thousand dollars bail.

FOREIGN NEWS.

The New French Cable.

LONDON, August 21.—The last communication, through cable, from the steamer Faraday, lying on the new French cable, was received the 14th of August. The Faraday was then experiencing heavy weather. The cable is supposed to be cut and it is hoped buoyed. The steamer Weser spoke Faraday the 18th in latitude 49° 15' north, longitude 1430, but the contents of the signals decipherable were "Lifted 1700 cable."

RUSSIA.

THE CROPS. LONDON, August 21.—The Standard's Berlin correspondent reports that the statistics of the crops in Russia show that the yield of wheat in 1879, compared with 1878, is the same. The yield of rye and oats is larger, and that of barley and potatoes smaller.

RUSSIAN BOUNDARY IN DISPUTE. VIENNA, August 21.—The Russian and English Commissioners have seriously differed relative to the limitation of the Russo-Turkish frontier in Asia, and disputing the accuracy of the latter's map. Lord Dufferin has suspended negotiations at St. Petersburg on the subject.

RUSSIAN SENTENCES. ODESSA, August 21.—The judgments of the Military Tribunal against a number of nihilists has been published. Five men were sentenced to be hung, one woman to Siberia and twenty other prisoners to ten years penal servitude.

FRANCE.

TELEPHONIC COMMUNICATION IN PARIS. LONDON, August 21.—The Standard's special from Paris says the Edison Company has obtained permission from the Government to establish telephonic communication between the various quarters of Paris.

SALE OF GRAND HOTEL. The same dispatch states that M. Philpott, financier, has bought the Grand Hotel, paying therefor over one million pounds sterling.

PILGRIMS TO LOURDES. The New Paris correspondent reports that 3500 pilgrims have started for Lourdes. This is double the number of last year's pilgrims.

MEXICO.

DIAZ'S DETERMINATION. CITY OF MEXICO, August 15.—VIA HAVANA.—President Diaz continues to decline to serve another term, even if the constitutional amendment against his re-election is repealed. Many persons believe that the secret parties of Diaz are keeping the re-election question continually before the public and fostering excitement, and that Diaz will at the last moment accept the re-election to the presidency of the people's will. Many foreigners, instigating revolution in the country, have been expelled.

ENGLAND.

CONTINUATION OF RAIN. LONDON, August 21.—The rains in England continue and there is a renewal of the overflow of rivers in Somersetshire, Dorsetshire, Wiltshire, Leicestershire and Staffordshire.

UNITED STATES BONDS IN DEMAND. The Times says: United States bonds are steady, in response to demands for investment securities. It is stated that a very large amount in bonds was made up for transportation to New York yesterday.

CUBA.

TAX ON IMPORTED WINES AND LIQUORS. HAVANA, August 21.—The municipality will hereafter levy a tax on imported wines and liquors. Importers must deliver to the cashier of the municipality specifications of the quantity and quality of each consignment, and for omissions and errors a fine of one dollar in gold is assessed. On each parcel of beer they must pay per dozen bottles 30 cents in gold; champagne, superior, \$2.40 per box, common 12 cents per box.

SOUTH AFRICA.

LONDON, August 21.—Intelligence from the west coast of Africa states that a dispute arose between King Amehar, of New Calabar, and one of his chiefs. As a result, the latter left the town with his people, in possession of the local markets, blocked the creeks and stopped all traffic. It is feared that the break will become general.

ITALY.

THE POPE'S A WARNING LETTER. ROME, August 21.—The Pope has received an anonymous letter from Palermo, warning against attempts to poison him. The letter contains no references to the Pope's private life that it is believed it was posted in America, merely as a bluff. An investigation is in progress.

GERMANY.

EXTENDING TRUCE IN THE LEVANT. LONDON, August 21.—The Post-Berlin dispatch states that reports from German consuls in the East report the establishment of a direct line of German steamers to Salonica, as a means of extending German trade in the Levant.

SWEDEN.

RUSSIAN Nihilists ARRESTED. CARLSBAST, August 21.—Two Russian students, nihilists, have been arrested at Malsal. The Russian government having demanded their extradition.

GREECE.

DOES IT MEAN WAR? ATHENS, August 21.—Eight thousand men of the 2d corps of the territorial army have been called out. The King has postponed his autumn tour.

FOREIGN NOTES.

Sir Rowland Hill, founder of the penny postage system, is dying. Age 85.

The body of Dr. Mosely, killed while descending Matterhorn, has been recovered.

The Porte made a claim for restitution of several localities ceded Serbia through error.

Joseph Octave De Lepierre, the Belgian historian and antiquary, is dead. Age seventy-six.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS.

Canadian Cities Shaken Up. TORONTO, August 21.—Dispatches from Post-Dalhousie report an earthquake between two and three o'clock this morning, attended by a loud clap resembling the discharge of a cannon. Solid brick buildings were shaken. At Toronto the shock was violent, at Welland severe. At Allanburg, Beanesville and Port Robinson a rumbling noise accompanied the earthquake, which was also felt distinctly at St. Catharines and Niagara.

Can a Man Marry Himself? FITCHBURG, Mass., August 21.—Rev. Henry J. Munson, a self-married preacher, was convicted to-day of lewd and lascivious conduct. The case goes to the Supreme Court. The validity of the divorce in Missouri is disputed.

LAWYERS IN COUNCIL.

Proceedings of the Bar Association at Saratoga.

SARATOGA, August 21.—At the session of the Bar Association to-day, E. J. Phelps made an address on the rise and progress of the Constitutional law of this country. A resolution was adopted declaring it greatly to be desired that action be taken by the several States, by proper and concurrent legislation, to secure uniformity of acknowledgment, and the authentication of deeds and of other instruments affecting real estate, and in the mode of executing and attesting wills. Carleton Hunt, of Louisiana, Chairman of the Committee on Legal Education and Admission to the Bar, read a long report advocating a higher and more thorough education. The Association adopted a resolution looking to the better education of lawyers and pointing out particular studies; also requesting the proper committee to take measures for uniform laws of marriage and divorce in several States.

At the banquet of the Association to-night Gen. Benj. H. Bristol, the newly elected President, presided.

A Murdering Tramp. TOPEKA, Kas., August 21.—J. W. Cotton, station agent and grocer at Williamsburg, on the Kansas Pacific road near this city, was murdered to-day by a tramp. The tramp called for some cheese and crackers, and while Cotton was reaching into a barrel to get the crackers the tramp struck him in the back of the neck with a bar, nearly severing his head from his shoulders. A man has been arrested on suspicion.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

BOARD OF EDUCATION. This Board met at their office in Grange building last night, in regular monthly session. Present: Messrs. Baird, President, Arkie, Blingie, Caldwell, Collier, Criswell, Ebelling, Hildebrand, Hoge, McCully, Miller, J. A., Miller, J. C., Wait, Whalley, Wilson A., Wilson W. A.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Commissioners of the respective districts reported the following teachers for the ensuing school year:

DISTRICT NO. 1. Principal—J. C. Gwynn. Miss Josephine A. Greenlee, First Assistant Grammar Department.

Miss Mary Rose, Second Assistant Grammar Department.

Miss Joseph F. Bason, Division A, Grade 1. Miss Emma S. Anderson, Div. A, Grade 2. Miss Sarah A. Scott, Div. B, Grade 1.

Miss L. I. Hamilton, Div. B, Grade 2. Miss L. A. Stephens, Div. C, Grade 1. Miss S. S. McKelvey, Div. C, Grade 2. Miss S. J. Callendine, Div. C, Grade 3.

Miss Annie E. Reeves, Div. D, Grade 1. Miss E. L. Whitesides, Div. D, Grade 2. Miss E. L. Moore, Div. D, Grade 3. Miss E. L. Smith, Div. D, Grade 4. Miss Emma Steele, Div. D, Grade 5.

Miss Elizabeth Turk was appointed janitress for the main building, and Miss Elizabeth Hildebrand, janitress of the church. The place where the sessions of Division D are held.

MADISON DISTRICT. Principal—A. M. Stevenson, Principal. Miss Stella Moore, Grammar Department.

Miss Julia A. Wiley, Division A. Miss Clara E. Young, Div. B, Grade 1. Miss Emma Snowden, Div. B, Grade 2. Miss Anna Dillman, Div. C, Grade 1. Miss R. L. Dean, Division C, Grade 2. Miss M. Foster, Division D, Grade 1. Miss Kate Hall, Division D, Grade 2.

For the second ward colored school, W. F. Gaskins was elected Principal, and Miss R. L. Wallace assistant.

The incumbents, Susan Barkley and Butler, were reappointed janitors.

CENTER DISTRICT. Principal—H. C. Shepherd, Principal. Miss Sadie Stout, Grammar Room. Miss C. Hamilton, Division A.

Miss Annie Moran, Division B, Grade 1. Miss Minnie E. Black, Div. B, Grade 2. Miss E. L. Bogue, Division C, Grade 1. Miss Jennie E. Patterson, Division D, Grade 1.

Miss Louise Butler, Division D, Grade 2. Janitor, Mrs. Eliza Colman.

SIXTH WARD. Samuel Boyd Principal. Miss Martha Harper, Grammar Room. Miss M. J. Morrison, Div. A, Grade 1. Miss S. S. Crumley, Div. A, Grade 2. Miss L. J. Cohan, Division B, Grade 1. Miss Ida Richards, Division B, Grade 2. Miss T. D. Sutherland, Div. C, Grade 1. Miss Mary Hughes, Div. C, Grade 2. Miss E. L. Dean, Div. C, Grade 3. Miss Kate Todd, Division D, Grade 1. Miss Lizzie Hamilton, Div. D, Grade 3. Mrs. A. M. Patterson Janitress.

VINCE WARD. Miss Ida Iverson, Grammar Room. Miss Anna McNamee, Division A, Grade 1. Miss A. V. Oxtoby, Division A, Grade 2. Miss S. L. Robinson, Division B, Grade 1. Miss Tillie McDonald, Div. B, Grade 2. Miss Anna A. Johnson, Div. C, Grade 1. Miss S. B. Brown, Div. C, Grade 2. Miss Mary Arbuthnot, Div. C, Grade 3. Miss E. Ellifritz, Division D, Grade 1. Miss M. C. Ryan, Division D, Grade 2. Miss Mary Francis, Division D, Grade 3. Janitor—Mrs. Elizabeth Lowery.

FOURTH WARD. Miss Jane Anderson, Grammar Room. Miss Anna E. Swick, Div. A, Grade 1. Miss Lizzie Dwyer, Div. A, Grade 2. Miss Lucinda Sims, Div. B, Grade 1. Miss Maria Ellingham, Div. B, Grade 2. Miss George Pender, Div. C, Grade 1. Miss M. A. Robinson, Div. C, Grade 2. Miss M. C. Robinson, Div. C, Grade 3. Miss M. L. Lou, McCulloch, Div. D, Grade 1. Miss Lizzie Carmack, Div. D, Grade 2. Miss Sallie Thoburn, Div. D, Grade 3. Miss Mary Britt, Div. D, Grade 4. Janitor, Mrs. Mary Downey.

SECOND AND THIRD WARD. Principal, Miss S. J. McChalm. Miss Emma J. Sherrin, Grammar Room. Miss Ella Dillon, Grammar Room. Miss Mary A. Davis, Div. A, Grade 1. Miss M. E. Jeffers, Division B, Grade 2. Miss Mattie Stone, Division B, Grade 3. Miss M. A. Brown, Div. C, Grade 1. Miss Jane McCulloch, Div. C, Grade 2. Miss M. Dean, Division C, Grade 2. Miss Lizzie M. Swift, Div. C, Grade 3. Miss Lizzie McKennan, Div. D, Grade 1. Miss Annie E. Greer, Div. D, Grade 2. Miss Emma Charnock, Div. D, Grade 3. Miss M. C. Griffith, Division D, Grade 4. Janitor, W. J. Hoge.

The following teachers in German were also appointed: Washington and Madison Districts—Miss Emma Stroehlein. Clay District—Miss Helena Gellink. Union and Centre Districts—Miss Mary Mussett. Webster and Ritchie Districts—Rev. C. Trump.

The same salaries are to be paid as for last year.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES. The Committee on Accounts presented bills aggregating \$151.63, which were ordered paid.

FINANCE. This committee recommended that

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

MOONSHINE CAMP MEETING.

Third Day's Services. MOONSHINE, August 21, 1879. The regular services were opened this morning at the tabernacle, being a meeting for the promotion of holiness, led by W. G. Rihelshaff, who after the usual exercises introduced Mrs. A. G. Robinson, of Indiana, the lady Evangelist, who arrived on last night's train. She spoke in a very feeling manner on the subject of holiness, urging on all the importance of seeking holiness of heart. She is a wonderful speaker—very eloquent and effective. She will not doubt be a great power in the meeting. At the 10:30 services Rev. L. L. Stewart, of Fairmont, preached a very excellent sermon on the subject of experiential religion. It was a deep and an earnest argument in favor of the doctrine. Mrs. Robinson followed in a brief exhortation and conducted the services at the altar.

At 1:30 the Children's Meeting was led by Sister Stone, and was also addressed by W. G. Rihelshaff and Mrs. Robinson, both of whom delivered excellent talks. The tabernacle was crowded and the interest excellent.

At 3:30 p. m. Rev. W. H. Wiley preached one of the best sermons of the meeting. It was a regular old-fashioned Methodist appeal, and it had a telling effect on the congregation. Dr. DeLass followed in an exhortation which had the effect of impressing the truths of the sermon more deeply on the minds of all who heard it. The order on the grounds has been excellent throughout the day. This is owing to the efficiency of the police force, which is under the direction of J. L. Hansen, ex-Sergeant of the town of Moonshine. He is ably assisted by W. W. Thompson, ex-policeman of Wheeling. It is a matter of remark that the order has never been better. This evening the special train leaving Wheeling at 4:45 brought quite a crowd, and it was expected that the train will be run regularly during the meeting if patronized, and we think it to be to the advantage of the friends of the meeting to see that it is patronized.

All who wish to friends attending the camp meeting are requested to direct their letters in care of the Camp Meeting Association, in order to insure their delivery promptly, as the Postmaster will send all such mail matter to the camp ground at once.

The young people's meeting was conducted by Rev. G. E. Hite, and a very interesting time was enjoyed.

At 9:30 Rev. T. H. Frainger, of Manning, preached an able sermon to a very large congregation. The ladies of the Association have assembled during the meeting. His subject was on the duty of exhorting one another, and was listened to attentively by at least 600 people.

He was followed by Mrs. Robinson, in an exhortation full of pathos and feeling, and at its close one seeker came to the altar, after which quite a while was spent in singing and praying.

The order during the night was excellent—quite different from what we have seen in other years. The boarding tent is well patronized. There are already about twenty-five regular boarders, while all speak in the highest terms of the accommodations. It is the determination of the Association to feed all who come on Sabbath, so no one need stay away fearing that they will not find enough to eat. A number of new ministers have arrived since my last report, among whom are DeLass, already mentioned, Presiding Elder T. B. Hughes, of Buckhannon District. E. S. Wilson, of West Liberty, Dr. Taylor, Beaver, Pa., College, A. H. Cobbleick, Towson, Md., W. C. Sharp, Taylor county. Dr. Mathews, of New Orleans, has not arrived yet.

REPORTER.

CLOSE OF THE CAMP MEETING—Statement of the Receipts and Expenditures. BURN'S MILL, August 21, 1879.

Correspondence of the Intelligencer.

The meeting is over, and the grounds are deserted, except by a few waiting for transportation. It is hard to imagine that a few hours ago the grove was alive with the voice of song and prayer. Last evening, as usual, a mother's meeting was held at 6 o'clock. At 7:30 Rev. Elder preached. He was rather more earnest than usual, and was listened to with marked attention. After service a prayer and experience meeting was held, which lasted until midnight. There was not so much excitement as usual, but there seemed to be much deep feeling, and, indeed, it appeared impossible to quit. Finally, however, the doxology was sung over and over again, and the usual hand-shaking was indulged in. But not until half past two did the voice of singing cease, and the camp became quiet. This morning all were up betimes packing for home. Soon the farewells were spoken, and the camp meeting was over for a year. And what of the result? A great many of given their names to the church, and are thus professing conversion. God grant next year may still find them far on their way toward the higher life.

Miss H. Gregory, of the Electric Copy Book, Bartholomew's Drawing Book, Quackenbush, Rhetoric, Shepherd's Constitution and Science of Government and Brown's Physiology were also adopted.

A bond of guarantee was filed at \$5,000 to each publisher.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

Under Suspicious Circumstances. CHICAGO, August 21.—Chas. W. Kreigh, a well known member of the Board of Trade, and formerly a commission merchant of considerable repute, died at the county hospital under circumstances which rendered it doubtful whether death was the result of excessive drinking, or of a heart attack, or of some other cause, coupled with an overdose of laudanum, or of careless treatment by the police officers who took him from the street last night.

A Showman's Will. NEW YORK, August 21.—The will of Henry B. Palmer, of the firm of Jarrett & Palmer, was filed for probate to-day. After the bequest of two hundred dollars in cash, and five hundred dollars a year for life to his mother, and two hundred and fifty dollars a year to his aunt, he leaves the rest of his real and personal estate to his wife, who is appointed sole executrix.

What Postmasters Shouldn't Do. WASHINGTON, August 21.—Assistant Attorney General Freeman advises the Postmaster General that postmasters should not be required to testify in judicial proceedings, who rents a box in his office, who took letters from it, etc., tending to show what became of certain correspondence.

The Wrong Target. CLEVELAND, O., August 21.—At a target shooting match to-day, on the fair ground, a young man named Herman Massermeier, who had charge of the target, was shot and instantly killed, by the accidental discharge of a rifle in the hands of one of the marksmen.

Encompiement of Veterans at Aurora, Ill. AURORA, Ill., August 21.—Camp Dick Yates was a scene of great activity to-day, and the national airs played by the numerous bands brought by the various delegations created much enthusiasm among the bivouacking veterans who have assembled from Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan, Indiana and Minnesota. Nine hundred rifles and eight pieces of artillery will be used to-morrow in storming the fort. The routine of camp life has been followed out to-day in the most minute particular. Gen. Mann announced the officers of his staff, 27 in number. This afternoon Gen. Logan made a speech to his old comrades in arms, after which there was a grand sham battle. A lastation drill followed, and at 6 o'clock there was a dress parade. The Governor and staff arrived to-day. They were escorted to their camp by 600 men and saluted with 25 guns, and the Governor made a rousing speech, to which Hon. John A. Logan responded.

The competitive drill was held this afternoon and the 10th Illinois regiment was awarded the beautiful banner, made by the ladies of Aurora. Gen. F. J. Duran making the presentation.

During the speaking in the afternoon the stand fell, and 500 people were carried with it to the ground. Only one was badly hurt, Wm. Hubbard, of Dekalb county, whose leg was fractured and must be amputated.

CHAUTAUQUA. Yesterday's Exercises. CHAUTAUQUA, August 21.—Rev. R. T. Vincent and Frank Board held the farewell children's meeting this morning. Dr. E. O. Haven delivered the fourteenth Early lecture on "How to treat most mysterious doctrines of religion." Cole held very interesting devotional conference. Dr. Dudley, a surgeon, gave his usual morning lecture to the members on "Physical Culture," aiming to teach them how to eat, drink and be merry. The appearance of regular assembly exercises close Saturday afternoon.

The annual procession of the graduates and students of Chautauqua took place to-day. The Northwestern Cornell Band headed the procession. Prof. Cole held a Chautauqua choir, assisted by the band, gave grand vocal and instrumental concert. At least five thousand persons were present on each occasion. Dr. Strong gave Biblical exercises. The whole held a prayer meeting which was largely attended.

Another "Future" Operator. FALL RIVER, August 21.—Geo. H. Eddy, Treasurer of the First Mill, has resigned, the directors having disapproved of his transactions in the cotton futures, resulting in a loss to the mill of \$15,000. The amount is made good by gains from purchases of cotton. The owners will seek the treasurer of several mills for 15 per cent increase in wages. The directors will make a similar request.

NEW ORLEANS, August 21.—Vercy Mark, aged sixteen, a nephew of Administrator Marks, shot himself fatally this afternoon. Rev. Benj. J. Agnew, pastor of the Napoleon Avenue Methodist Church, died from injuries received from falling in a lake. J. Marchal, a barber, killed himself.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J. ST. JOHNS, August 21.—Reports continue of great damage done by the storm, and in many parts travel is almost suspended, the heavy rain sweeping away. A boom of the high-ocean vessel, the Aqueduct, was broken, and must be raised at a heavy expense.

THE GEORGIA IMPROVEMENT CASE. ATLANTA, Ga., August 21.—The Improvement Court organized to-day. Judgment appeared with counsel. Judge Hoggins waived arraignment and asked ten days in which to plead and defend. The time was granted.

HANLAN-RILEY RACE. OTTAWA, August 21.—Riley offers to row Hanlan at \$500 for a sweepstakes of \$300, with \$50 added by an Ottawa committee. Hanlan waives the amount increased to \$1,000.

HOSE HILL YESTERDAY. At Chicago—Chicago 10, Buffalo 1, Cleveland 3, Cincinnati 3, Cleveland 3, Detroit 3, Toledo 3, Troy 0.

FIRE RECORD. AT WHITEHALL, NICH. DETROIT, August 21.—A fire to-night at 10 o'clock destroyed two frame dwellings on Chelsea street. The building was owned by Mrs. Allen and Nick Frick, valued at \$1,000. Frick's building was occupied by Fred. Warnick. No whites were on either premises, having been in charge of colored people. The fire was incendiary. A dwelling owned by N. Callahan adjacent thereto was damaged to the extent of \$500.

TELEGRAPH BRIEFS. The steamer Franco, arrived at New York, from Havre, brought \$300,000 of gold bar.

The Ohio State Archaeological Association will hold its annual convention at Columbus, Ohio, this morning. Important papers by leading members have been prepared.

Prominent coal operators in the Schuylkill region of the Reading Railroad and urged two weeks suspension of the recent General decline to comply with the request.